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## Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 January 20, 2006

Sir:

In connection with the above identified application, applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a four (4) month extension of time for filing an Appeal Brief. Please charge the required petition fee in the amount of \$1,590.00 to my deposit account No. 502877.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this matter, he is encouraged to contact Mark R. Buscher (Reg. No. 35,006) at 703 753 5256.

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